

Specification Amendments

Please substitute paragraph [0071] presented below for paragraph [0071] originally presented. Amendments are shown with additions underlined and deletions in ~~strike through text~~. No new matter is added by this amendment. The amendment is made to expressly reference features already shown in the originally filed drawings and/or incorporated by reference.

[0071] Another use of the shade is illustrated in ~~Fig.~~ FIGS. 14, 15 and 23. In this arrangement, the shade 10 is positioned proximate to but distanced from the towel 100. In its extended configuration, shade 10 provides additional surface area to support articles and maintain them free of sand, dirt, etc. In one embodiment, towel 100 can include a frame member 101 mounted in a membrane 103. In an alternative embodiment, the towel 100 can be a conventional towel without any frame member.